

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A compressor, comprising:

a piston mounted to reciprocate inside of a cylinder ~~for drawing to draw~~ a working fluid into ~~an inside of a compression chamber within~~ the cylinder, ~~compressing compress~~, and ~~discharging-discharge~~ the working fluid to an outside of the cylinder;

a connecting rod connected between a crank shaft and the piston ~~for converting that converts~~ a rotating movement of the crank shaft into a reciprocating movement of the piston;

a piston pin arranged to pass through the compression chamber of the cylinder and attached to one end of the connecting rod, wherein a clearance is provided between an inside surface of the one end of the connecting rod and an outside surface of the piston pin at the same time; and

~~an at least one oil passage formed to make a clearance between an the inside surface of the one end of the connecting rod and an the outside surface of the piston pin, wherein the at least one oil passage is configured to allow lubricating oil to escape from the clearance into the compression chamber in communication with an outside of the clearance.~~

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2. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim 1, wherein the at least one oil passage makes the clearance and a piston chamber, comprises a hollow in a bottom end of the piston, ~~in communication.~~

3. (Canceled)

4. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim ~~3~~1, wherein the at least one oil passage is provided to one in a first inside surface of an inside of the piston the one end of with which the one end of the connecting rod is in contact ~~therewith.~~

5. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim ~~3~~4, wherein the at least one oil passage is provided to one surface of an inside of the piston the one end of the connecting rod is in contact therewith, and the other in a second inside surface of the inside of the piston opposite to the one surface of the inside of the piston first inside surface.

6. (Canceled)

7. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim 6 11, wherein the at least one oil passage is provided to ~~one in a first inside~~ surface of the one end of the connecting rod in contact with ~~the one an inside~~ surface of the ~~inside~~ of the piston.

8. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim 6 11, wherein the at least one oil passage is provided to ~~one surface of the one end of the connecting rod in contact with one surface of an inside of the piston, and the other~~ in a second inside surface of the one end of the connecting rod opposite to the ~~one first inside~~ surface of the one end of the connecting rod.

9. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim 6 11, wherein the at least one oil passage ~~is provided to pass~~ passes through the one end of the connecting rod.

10. (Currently Amended) The compressor as claimed in claim 1, wherein the at least one oil passage comprises a plurality of the oil passage are along a radial direction of the piston passages.

11. (New) A compressor, comprising:

a piston mounted to reciprocate inside of a cylinder to draw a working fluid into a compression chamber within the cylinder, ~~compressing compress~~, and discharge the working fluid to an outside of the cylinder;

a connecting rod connected between a crank shaft and the piston that converts a rotating movement of the crank shaft into a reciprocating movement of the piston;

a piston pin arranged to pass through the compression chamber of the cylinder and attached to one end of the connecting rod, wherein a clearance is provided between an inside surface of the one end of the connecting rod and an outside surface of the piston pin~~at the same time~~; and

at least one oil passage provided in the one end of the connecting rod, wherein the at least one oil passage is configured to allow lubricating oil to escape from the clearance into the compression chamber.

12. (New) The compressor as claimed in claim 11, wherein the at least one oil passage comprises a plurality of oil passages.

13. (New) The compressor as claimed in claim 11, wherein the at least one oil passage comprises a hole that passes through the one end of the connecting rod.

14. (New) The compressor as claimed in claim 13, wherein the at least one oil passage extends parallel to a central longitudinal axis of the connecting rod.

15. (New) The compressor as claimed in claim 13, wherein the at least one oil passage extends at an angle to a central longitudinal axis of the connecting rod.

16. (New) The compressor as claimed in claim 11, wherein the one end of the connecting rod comprises a piston pin attaching portion and wherein the at least one oil passage extends a length of the piston pin attaching portion.

17. (New) The compressor as claimed in claim 11, wherein the one end of the connecting rod comprises a piston pin attaching portion and wherein the at least one oil passage extends from an inner surface of the one end adjacent a surface of the piston pin to an outer surface of the piston pin attaching portion opposite the piston pin.